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In re Application of :  
Bong-joo KIM et al. : PATENT  
Serial No.: 10/670,345 : Group Art Unit:  
Filed: September 26, 2003 : Examiner:  
For: LOCKING DEVICE FOR TAPE :  
CASSETTE HOUSING OF TAPE :  
RECORDER :

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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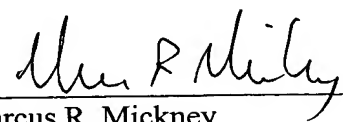
Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and § 1.98, Applicants bring the patents and publications listed on attached Form PTO-1449 to the Examiner's attention and request that they be considered and made of record in the subject application.

In accordance with the amendments to 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a) (revisions effective Oct. 21, 2004) and as discussed in the Official Gazette on Oct. 19, 2004 (1287 OG 163), copies of U.S. patents and published applications cited herein have been omitted.

Prompt examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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